## INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL

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#### LESSON FOR JUNE 9

HEARING AND DOING.

LESSON TEXT-Luke 6:39-49.
GOLDEN TEXT-"Be ye doers of the Word, and not hearers only, deluding your own selves."—James 1:22.

Last week we had from the lips of Jesus three illustrations of that false righteousnes which he will not countenance in his new kingdom. Today's lesson is the last of the present series which has to do with the fundamental teachings expressed by Jesus in his manifesto and it is empha ized by the Golden Text taken from James' epis-

Jesus begins with a short parable which, though not recorded by Matthew as being used in this same connection is here used to introduce and to explain what was said about the mote and the beam. Parenthetically Jesus informs us that we are not above our Master. We must teach principally in the same manner he taught, e. g., by our lives. He has been setting forth the manner of life to be followed by his disciples. He is the incarnate truth, and in that fact lay his power and success as a teacher, so as we incarnate his life, live his life before the world, we shall most successfully teach. His sight was unimpaired, hence his ability and Jesus, however, guards against any self-assumed righteousness upon the part of his followers by telling us that "everyone," that is every disciple, "when he is perfected shall be as his master." (v. 40.) No leader or teacher has ever made any great and lasting contribution or impression upon history except as he has in a measure emulated the life of Jesus or followed the principles he taught the world.

Beam and Mote.

It is as we are being perfected, follow on after perfectness in Christ Jesus, that we are effectually able to see for ourselves and to lead others. Jesus by means of this teaching about impossible it is for a man who is himgelf disobedient to the truth to be able to do anything that will help others who are in a like state of disobedience. He plainly implies that it is not only impossible but actually a sin for one who has a beam, a "splinter" in his eye to attempt to re--from the eye of another. The sin naughey. of attempting to teach that which we ourselves do not obey is greater than the sin of him who is not obedient but France, nearly 8000 vipers were killed makes no attempt to teach the truth in the course of one year. and called forth the emphatic "thou hypocrite" of Jesus. How many the path of truth and yet they make no effort to remove the beam from their own eyes-hypocrites-is it to be wondered at that they both fall into the ditch?

Jesus emphasizes all of this by use of the figure of fruit-bearing. The preposterousness of our looking for figs upon thorn bushes, or to look for grapes upon a bramble bush is pat ent to all. We know that corruption is not so much a matter of infection as it has to do with inward purity. If the tree of life is pure it will yield perfect fruit, for life always reproduces its own type, in the same manper the influence a man exerts is the influence of what he is in his own

In verse 48 Jesus adds further light bron this matter of hypocrisy, He has afready told us we are to build uron his words which were the truth. How he shows us that to call him er and Yourd' with lips only, and not because of a heart conviction, even the ab it be known and heard of all ren will not avail. This sort of crying about shall be tested by him who knows the thoughts and the intents of the heart and it, too, shall receive the just reward of all hypocrisy. To I H C Manure Spreader ery "Lord, Lord," 'to judge others by different standards from those by which we judge ourselves, is but another evidence of the sin of selfish-

Obedience the Only Proof.

If we will real Paul's epic upon love (I. Cor. 13) daily it will clarify our vision and correct the motive of our lives so that its fruit will be acceptable to God. Obedience is the only one and only acceptable proof that we are friends of Jesus (John 15:14). To further add light and significance to this whole matter Jesus tells us of the two kinds of foundations upon which men build. That upon the solid rock may be severely tried, as shall all the works of man's hands, but being rightly founded the storm breaks and not the

Is your house founded upon the living word or upon the speculations of science? Face this question we must. Lesson outline:

L False and True Teachers. v. 39-45.

Danger, v. 39, 40.

Like teacher, like pupil, v. 41

The Test. v. 43-45. Final Exortation. v. 46-49. Profession. v. 46.

Testing. v. 47-48.

Practice. v. 49.

Testing. v. 49.



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Mrs. Alva Leaverton and children

ford, spent Sunday with their mother

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place next Saturday night, June 8.

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Mrs. Nellie Stewart and daughter,

days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs.

Hawk spent Thursday with the for-

mer's sister, Miss Mayne Bingam, of

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Barnett spent

Mrs. Frank Stroup and daughter,

Mrs. Ortha Ludwick and daughter,

Mrs. Emma Shaffer spent Thursday

Mrs. Julia Michael is very sick at

Mrs. John Hart, of Fairview, spent

one day last week with her daughter,

Mrs. Virginia Ellis, of Norwood,

Mrs. John Pullia u and little daugh-

ter, Beatrice, of Detroit, Mich., are

George Winkle and wife and baby

Miss Daisy Chaney spent Sunday

Misses Daisy Carpenter and Ocie

Mr. Coral Holden made a business

Master Joseph Chaney is spending

a few days with his sister, Mrs. Nelle

HARRISBURG.

George Fahrlander and family, of

Tile Junction, were the guests of

Dr. Leatherman and wife, of Belfast, made us a pleasant call Tuesday.

Walter Hamilton has a cow that

Jacob Sanders and wife of Point

"Uncle" Fred Shoemaker, of Pleas-

Rev. McDaniels was the guest of J.

Thos. Rowe, of Hillsboro, was here

Bowen Vance, of New Market, called

Farmers are having to plant their

corn the second time on account of

the wet weather. The early planted

Mrs. D. U. Emery, of Jacktown,

visited her mother here over Sunday.

"Why was Jonah thrown over-

"I'm not sure, but I've always

on T. R. Vance and family Sunday.

O. Sanders and family Saturday and

Victory, visited G. W. Sanders and

gave birth to a calf that had a human

face. We vouch for this statement.

Walter Hamilton and family Sunday.

June 3, 1912.

Mrs. Ellis Wilkin, of Shackelton.

trip to Lynchburg, Friday.

Stewart, of Owensville.

Come again Dr.

family Sunday.

Thursday on business.

rotted in the ground.

Vance.

Sunday.

is spending a few days with her par-

ents, Williard Cailey and family.

visiting Mrs. E. J. Yowell.

Harriett, of Cincinnati, are visiting

relatives and friends here.

with Anna Shaffer.

Mrs. Will Aldridge.

and wife.

with home folks.

Mrs. Milton Holden and Mrs. Della

are cordially invited.

H. P. Chaney and family.

Lynchburg.

June 3, 1912.

## MOBERLY & ROSSELOTT BUFORD, OHIO

#### FOLSOM.

June 3, 1912.

Val McConnaughey and family, of West Union, visited J. W. Griffith and brother, Herbert Shaffer, of Miland wife here last Tuesday

I. W. Beets and wife were guests of Mrs. Emma Shaffer. Charles Cox and wife, at Buck Run,

Miss Myrta Dunham was entertained by Miss Mary Cowne, of Hillsboro,

last Saturday and Sunday. W. T. Shannon and wife visited their son, J. Ed., and family, at Hillsboro, last Saturday and Sunday.

F. W. Griffith and wife and daughter spent last Friday at the home of the beam and the mote shows us how his parents, J. M. Griffith and wife, near Harrisburg.

A freak of nature occurred some ten days ago when a cow gave birth to a calf on the farm of Mr. Hamilton near Sunday with M. J. Ludwick and famhere with a perfect human face. The ily. calf was fully developed every way but it only lived four or five days. The move the mote—a light speck of dust cow belonged to Mrs. Jane McCon- Saturday evening.

In the forest of Fontainebleau,



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#### CONCRETE SAVES OLD TREE

Elm Is Preserved by Construction of Concrete Wall, So That Entire Trunk Was Free From Dirt.

C. L. Miller, in Suburban Life for August, writes of the preservation of an old elm through the medium of concrete. The street on which this particular elm was growing had been filled up all of four feet, and in the course of a few years this began to affect the tree, which showed unmistakable signs of dying. So, in order to save it, the ground was dug away from the tree to the streets's original level, and a concrete wall, together



Concrete Pit Wall.

with a rustic railing, was placed around the tree, so that the entire trunk might be free from dirt, as it was originally.

The construction of the reinforced concrete wall is very simple. After the hole was dug to the desired width and squared properly, the posts for the railing were set so that they rested on the bottom of the hole and extended about four feet above the ground. These posts were connected each by four cross-pieces, two below the ground and two above, which made a sort of fence around the tree. The Mildred, returned to their home in false work to hold the cement ir Owensville, after spending several place until it was set was so constructed that the part of the posts below the ground, as well as the crosspieces connecting them, would be half embedded in the concrete. This oncrete wall, approximately nine inches in thickness, was reinforced with strong iron wire cut to the required length, and put in place in the manner of open network while the concrete was being poured. Braces extended from the tree to the boards wherever it was deemed necessary, so Vivian, called on Mrs. H. P. Chaney that the false work might be strong enough to hold the concrete back of

> Above the ground, a rustic railing as carried out, constructed so that it might be strong enough to permit of the small boys' climbing over it.

## LITTLE SNOWBERRY IS HARDY

Small Shrub Bears Fruit in Clusters and is Easy of Propagation by Seeds or Cuttings.

The snowberry is a small shrub which bears fruit in clusters and is easy of propagation by suckers, seeds or cuttings.

These shrubs are excellent for covering the ground under trees, or planting in masses or in borders where a spent Sunday with Glenn Abernathy low-growing plant is desired.

They are very hardy and thrive well in almost any soil, even in heavy clay or dry gravelly banks. Their habit of suckering enables them to cover the ground rapidly and effectively. The snowberry is practically effect

Chaney spent Saturday night and Sunday with the former's mother, ive because it retains its fruit until it



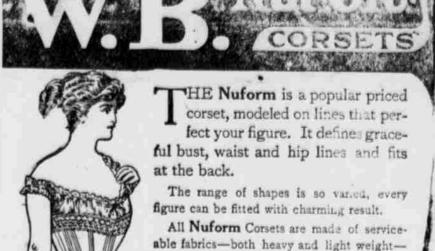
Snowberry in Fruit.

is forced off and one species retains its foliage through the winter. For these reasons they are pleasing addiant, is visiting his niece, Mrs. J. C. tions to the winter landscape.

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Thedora Cluff, of near Hillsboro, was the guest of Henry Deardoff and wife the past week. J. O. Stults and wife spent Sunday

with H. V. Matthews and wife.

guests of Mrs. Permelia A. Kissling Swadley and wife. Saturday.

the guest of his father, Enos Eubanks. Saturday until Monday. J. J. Butler and family, of Sinking Spring, spent Saturday with I. W. Stults and wife.

Carol Rhoads, of near Cliff Range, spent Sunday with his uncle, John W. Stults.

Quite a number in our vicinity attended Decoration at Olive Branch and Sinking spring.

Miss Margaret Chapman, of Sinking Spring, spent Saturday and Sunday of last week with Miss Eva Eubanks.

Mrs. Blanche Mattison and son and Miss Bess Butler attended commence-Frank Kissling and nephew, Clar- ment at Hillsboro Thursday and Frience Chrisman, of Leesburg, were the day and were the guests of Charles

D. O. Matthews, of Greenfield, was Joseph Eubanks, of Greenfield, is the guest of his son, H. V., from

Mrs. Louisa Lawson spent Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. Charles Johnson, of Beech Flats.

Sovereigns were first coined in the reign of Henry I, but they were then worth 22 shillings.